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TAGS: ECON, ETRD, MA

SUBJ: MESSAGE FOR U. S. FIRM

EMBASSY RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM SUPERIOR GRAPHITE OF CHICAGO, ILL. REQUESTING INFORMATION TELEGRAPHICALLY ON POLITICAL SITUATION IN MADAGASCAR AND ON FLAKE GRAPHITE EXPORTS. REQUEST DEPT TO CALL SUPERIOR GRAPHITE (312) RA 6-7939 AND PASS ON FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

EXPORTS OF GRAPHITE IN RECENT MONTHS NEVER COMPLETELY HALTED THOUGH PROBLEMS IN PORT OF TAMATAVE IN DEC AND JAN MAY HAVE DELAYED SOME SHIPMENTS. ACCORDING TO DIRECTORATE OF MINES, 1,051 METRIC TONS OF FLAKE GRAPHITE HAS BEEN EXPORTED TO US SINCE JAN 01, 1973 BY FOLLOWING COMPANIES (ALL ADDRESSES TANANARIVE):

- A) ETABLISSEMENTS GALLOIS, B. P. 159
- B) ETABLISSEMENTS R. IZOUARD, B. P. 236
- C) SOCIETE AGRICOLE MINIERE ET INDUSTRIELLE
B. P. 1182
- D) SAHANAVO- SOCIETE MALGACHE D' EXPLOITATIONS.
MINIERES, B. P. 266.

SITUATION AT PORT OF TAMATAVE NOW DEFINITELY IMPROVED AND SHIPMENT DELAYS SHOULD DISAPPEAR.

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